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STATIONS of all descriptions for sale or stocked or unstocked in New South Wales and Queensland.
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FARM, STOCK, STOCK wanted and sold in the West.

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STORE CATTLE AND SHEEP, in any quantities and locality; also some very superior thoroughbred Bulls and Rams.

HARRISON AND JONES, 78, King-street, Sydney.

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NEW ENGLAND.—Splendid cattle station, advantageously situated, abundance of grass and water, 6000 head.

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NEW ENGLAND—First-class station, 1300 head cattle and 4000 sheep, well watered, improvements most complete.
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.—Superior country, abundance of grass and water, with 3000 sheep.
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.—Four blocks, unstocked country, on the Hogen.
DANIEL'S DOWN.—Three blocks, with 13,000 sheep, 400 cattle.
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WARREGO DISTRICT.—One black country, with 50000 young sheep; rare chance for a beginner; abundantly watered.
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NEW BEGINNERS.—All sorts of properties for **SALE**, with small number of sheep or cattle.
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STORE	CATTLE.	STORE	CATTLE.
FOR SALE, by the undersigned—			
800 mixed,	1 to 7,	Maclean	
2000 ditto,	1 to 7,	New England	
1200 ditto,	2 to 7,	Balonne River	
1600 ditto,	2 to 7,	Gwydir	
1000 ditto,	1 to 3,	Gwyndah	
1000 to 15,000 ditto,	1 to 7,	Gwydir	

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STORE	SHEEP.	STORE	SHEEP.
11,000 ewethers, 2 to 5 years, Darling Downs			
10,000 ditto ditto ditto			
8000 ewes, 1½ to 6 years, Darling Downs			
4000 weaners, equal sexes, Darling Downs			
1000 ewes, aged, Moolong			
3000 ditto, 2½ upwards, lambs at foot			
2000 ditto, maiden, Gayndah			
5000 ditto, ditto, Roma			
4400 ewes, 2½ years, Muswellbrook			
1400 wethers, 4 years, Burnett			
4000 wethers, 4 and 5, Burnett			
9000 ditto, 4 years, Burnett			

HARRISON and JONES, 78, King-street, Sydney.
STEAM FLOUR MILL, &c.—FOR SALE, a most compact and snug PROPERTY, comfortable Home-stead, Flour Mill in full work, and Machinery for making Tweeds, &c., in one of the best situations in the colony. Apply to **HARRISON and JONES, 78, King-street, Sydney.**

10,000 1 AND 2 year MAIDEN EWES,
 17,000 2 and 5 years Breeding Ewes
 20,000 Superior Wethers, 3, 4, and 5 years, D. Downs
 25,000 ditto, ditto ditto

20,000 ditto, on the Dawson and Burnett
At very moderate prices, and in lots to suit purchasers.
P. N. TREBECK, 60, Margaret-street.

2000 VERY Superior Store BULLOCKS, Clarence
1000 highly-bred Cows, Richmond
1000 good store Bullocks, New England
2000 Mixed Cattle, ditto
Various lots on the M'Intyre, Balonne, and Darling
Downs.
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FATTENING STATION, LACHLAN DISTRICT.
—460 square miles of superior fattening country.

well improved. It is most conveniently situated for the Victorian markets, and well worth the attention of Northern squatters.

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A SPLENDID STATION, in the Leichhardt District; eight blocks of fine downs, and timbered country, with 13,000 young sheep, 9000 of which are ewes. Improvements good, and only 10 miles from port.

This is a healthy fattening station, and well worth the attention of capitalists.

P. N. TREBECK, 60, Margaret-street.

A VERY compact FATTENING STATION, near

Attle the Dawson; high undulating downs, with a few cattle and 16,000 superior sheep, nearly all ewes. Improvements very complete and extensive. Offered at a most moderate price, to close accounts.

P. N. TREBECQ, 60, Margaret-street.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED—
For immediate delivery, near Glen Innes, New
England—
1000 mixed store cattle, 2 to 6 years old
1500 ditto ditto, ditto, including 400 speyred cows
O's Darling Downs, Queensland—
25,000 store sheep, 2 to 5 years old, large framed,
well clothed, clean shorn and ready for the market.

GILCHRIST, WATT, AND CO.
STATIONS, CATTLE, AND SHEEP.—On SALE by
the undersigned—
100,000 Store Sheep
15,000 Store Cattle, and
Stations in various districts. Also, some imported pure
Leicester and half-bred Rams, fit for padlock
purposes.
THOMAS DAWSON, Auctioneer, Stock and Station
Agent, 452, George-street.

S T O R E S H E E P . -
In Queensland and New South Wales,
60,000 Store Sheep.
S T O R E C A T T L E -
In Queensland and New South Wales,
10,000 Head, mixed.
IRWIN and TURNER.
171, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, privately. 1060 first-class Store BULLOCKS, now travelling down the Darling. Apply to H. J. ADAMS, Esq., Bogarders, Culgoa River; or to T. and A. CADELL, West Maitland.

WETHERS FOR SALE.—12,000 Wethers (first class), 3 to 5 years, shorn in September, now en route to Denzilgum.

W. F. BUCHANAN, Kellet House, Darlington.

FOR SALE, 2 FARMS and Orchards, 25 acres, Liverpool Road; £80 each, half each. Bata, Weyward-lane.

FOR SALE, a Stone HOUSE, containing a hall, 5 large rooms, water, in a healthy place. Apply at No. 3, Shadforth-croft, Lower Paddinton.

FOR SALE, WILLOW COTTAGE, John-st., Wool-labra; stone, firehold, four rooms, kitchen, &c.; £260.

TO BE SOLD a Dwelling HOUSE, situated in Appin, containing 5 rooms, stable, and other buildings, and garden adjoining. A Coach to and from Wollongong and Campbelltown, goes daily through Appin. For further particulars apply to **MICHAEL KELLY**, on the premises in Appin.

FOR SALE, at Concord, about 10 miles from Sydney, 224 Acres ORANGERY and ORCHARD, well watered and good garden ground, the latter part of it fenced; weatherboard cottage and detached kitchen on the ground. For particulars apply to **JOHN MACDONALD**, Concord.

DARLINGHURST.—The Kirkston Estate.—**ALLOTMENTS**, Darlinghurst Road, £12 per foot, and fronting William-street, £15 per foot. These lots occupy, without exception, the most valuable positions in our favourite locality. Title registered under Torrens's Act. Terms—one-third cash, residue credit. **RICHARDSON and WRENCH**, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, Marine VILLA, situated at an easy distance from the city, with extensive grounds and water frontage. For cards to view, apply to **Mr. JOHN THOMPSON**, Denison House, George-street.

BRIGHTON, MANLY BEACH.—For private SALE, the Furniture, Stock-in-Trade, Lenses, Licences, &c. of the **PIER HOTEL**. It is parted with by Mr. Charles Lambe, present proprietor, in consequence of severe domestic affliction. A competent man with a moderate capital will be liberally rewarded, and will find this an excellent opportunity of realising a handsome income. The furniture is all new, and the house is in thorough repair. Apply to Messrs. **BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMBE,** 39, George-street.

FOR SALE, 8 allotments of **LAND**, having a frontage of 28 feet each to West-street, having a depth of 90 feet. On the allotments are stones for two cottages and for building. One of the allotments has a cottage of two rooms on it. For particulars apply to **WILLIAM DEARY**, sen., 1, Furry-street.

A SHEFFIELD, 13 Acres of **LAND**, all enclosed, near residence of S. H. Smyth, Esq., for **SALE**. Apply 13, York-street.

THE SYDNEY MORNING HERALD, SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1902.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.
Latitude 34° 51' 41". Longitude 150° 46' 46".
Barometrical Variation 10" 25" East. 1887.
Tas time laid 23° 51' 41" East (Standard), at 11 p.m.
Sydney mean time, or 23. 53m. 14s. A.M., Greenwich mean time.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.
Barometre corrected to 32° Fahrenheit, and Mean Sea Level. Force of N. wind, estimated in the per square foot. Velocity of Wind, estimated in miles per hour (Standard), and (approximate), measured in inches, per square foot.

Scale of Humidity, 0 to 100.
Cloudy sky, 0 to 10.
Clear, 0 to 10.

JANUARY 31st, 1887. CILIC BUCHONING.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature in shade.	Hy- umid- ity.	Direc- tion.	Wind.			Rain.	Gusts.
					Force in miles per sq. ft.	Cloudy sky.	Clear.		
A.M. 5.	29.98	78.1	70	N.E.	0.2	0	0	0	4
P.M. 5.	29.64	82.7	70	N.E.	0.2	0	0	0	3
10	29.59	73.4	70	N.E.	0.1	0	0	0	4
Mean	29.43	78.4	64		0.6	0	0	0	3
Evaporation, 24 hours					0.365.				

enclosed. The tendency will be to improve the enclosed drainage, irrigation, and the artificial grasses. In such cases the land will be the principal basis of operations. The unenclosed grazing will be an accessory and subsidiary process. To such cases the adapted to an ordinary leased and unwill, of course, not apply. On a change of the old-fashioned type, all the invested in stock, that which is invested in the land being comparatively inappreciable. Under the system that will develop capital invested in and upon the land will approach, and finally exceed, the invested in the stock. The character of the investment will be changed, and the same

TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES

[FOR OUR CORRESPONDENTS]
ELLINGTON.

FRIDAY.

LAST evening, between 6 and 7 o'clock, four armed bushrangers entered the store and public-house of Mr. Davis, at Jerkeren, about four miles from the bank, and lying locked up Mr. Davis, his family and servants, proceeded to search the premises, selecting various articles. They then were away, leaving a man in charge, and proceeded to Connell's store, and robbed him of gold and notes to a considerable sum. From Connell's they went to a store kept by Chinamen, and shots were exchanged, but with what result is not yet known, as the informant left at the time. The police have gone out to the scene of these disorders.

SELF-RECORDING THERMOMETERS.

Shade	Maximum	Mean	Min-	Maximum	Minimum
1	84.8	68.4	54.8	122.4	64.4

Total rainfall from 1st January to the date, 1.00 inch.

Annual average of the preceding 10 light years—45.9 inches.

COMPARISON OF STATIONS.
JANUARY 4TH, 1877. CIVIL RECORDING.

STATIONS.	AT 9 A.M.				FOR 24 HOURS PREVIOUS TO 9 A.M.			
	Temperature in shade.	Wet-bulb in shade.	Humidity.	Direction.	Force.	Wind.	Max. in shade.	Minimum in shade.
ST. LOUIS	55.0	50.0	75.0	N.E.	1.0	1.0	54.0	69.0
ST. LOUIS	55.0	50.0	75.0	N.E.	1.0	1.0	54.0	69.0
ST. LOUIS	55.0	50.0	75.0	N.E.	1.0	1.0	54.0	69.0

BRAKER's calculations apply only to a considerable size, but one of the interesting questions of the present day is just how far stock operations can be pushed upon a small scale, and what are the chances for those who, beginning in a modest way, accumulate sufficient capital for the operation and then confine themselves, seek to diversify into other fields, such as agriculture and stock-farming. Some

MELBOURNE. FRIDAY, 6 P.M.

The Hon. Jas. Martin and the Hon. G. Egan arrived here last night, and are staying at South Hotel.

The weather still very warm, and there are buds all over the country.

There was a letter for Mr. Waldock's stud.

A young man named Lynch, in the Parcel Office, has been apprehended on a charge of committing a rape under circumstances of brutal violence.

A prospectus has been issued of a company to build houses for the working classes.

The

SOUTH HALL 25 29 591 694 74 S. 1 10 7 688 680
 KALAMAZOO 1646 68 22 55 W. 10 10 688 680
 DENVER 210 29 567 720 63 W. 4 0 0 391 1

* Grafton barometer is corrected to 32. Fahl, but not to mean sea level.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JANUARY 5TH.

Object.	R. Ascension.	Declination.	Hours.	Secs.
Sun.	12. m.	22. 41' N.	8. m.	5. m.
Moon	16.17	19.28 S.	4.30 a.m.	6.10 p.m.
Mercury	11.11	22. 55' N.	3.22 a.m.	4.38 p.m.
Venus	16.44	17. 24' S.	3.22 a.m.	4.38 p.m.
Earth	7.11	25. 31' N.	3.22 a.m.	4.38 p.m.
Jupiter	20.40	25. 31' N.	3.22 a.m.	4.38 p.m.
Saturn	15.18	16. 53' N.	1.22 a.m.	3.37 p.m.

Moon's age, 3rd day.
 High water at Fort Denali, 7h. 46m., p.m. 8h. 0m.
 GEORGE S. SMALL, Government Astronomer.

ments are already being made in the Northern district. It will be to know how far the experience gained is encouraging, and whether the statistical return of profit and loss will be as the result of these experiments, and others who may contemplate similar

There was no real speculation in timber, which was sold at a low price up to 4jd. to 4s. 16d. for 9 x 3 inches of California flour that have been effected at £12, 15 million wheat quoted at 4s. 6d., and Adelaide at 3s. 3d.; maize, 1d. for good samples; large quantities of tea have been placed at current rates; there have been some speculative purchases of rubber up to 11d. per lb. CLEARED BY.—Eather, for Colombo; Red Jacket, for London.

QUEENSCLIFF.

FRIDAY, 6 P.M.

ARRIVED City of Melbourne, barque, from Newcastle; Kmg Jane, from Sydney.

SAILED.—Alexandra, and Sea Gull, for Newcastle.

The Sydney Morning Herald.
SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1867.

It is amusing to read in some of the papers at home the summary manner in which the British Empire is to be disintegrated and disposed of. If we may credit this class of guides, all the difficulties of the nation are to be overcome—not by adapting the several parts to the whole, or by removing the friction of the machinery and increasing its motive power, but by a general smash up.

MENTS.—Numerous letters and complaints concerning the proceedings of the Court of Criminal Investigation, the recent city annual hour (9 a.m.) in particular is complained out completely country residents from attending the rapidly with which cases have been notice a meeting of citizens is called for 10 o'clock on the 8th inst. to discuss the present situation. Justice Dowling making him to have been reconsidered when the alphabetical list was up.

PHOTO PANORAMA OF SYDNEY.—Two scenic views of Sydney have just been com-
Boake, of George street, remarkable for
of (tagged) the 8th inst. on a scroll of the
of details. The wall sustained a series of
of materials to the merit of these photo-
panoramas, better than any we have yet seen.

ADELAIDE. FRIDAY, 6 P.M.
Further details of the Flinders Expedition in 1860
were heard at Port Lincoln.
A motioning for the production of despatches
recently received from England on the Boothby question
has been tried in the Legislative Council.
There was little wheat offering for immediate
sale; 10,000 bushels in all were reported for
ward delivery, at 4s.; flour, £10 10s. to £11 10s.;
there is no demand for cornsacks, and several
cases of changed hands at 14s. 6d.
ARRIVE—Duke of Sutherland, from London.

We are told that a Russian mother cast her children one by one to the wolves, and so saved her life. When she reached a place of safety from her pursuers, and told her story, an indignant bystander struck her dead with an axe. So we are told of retreating armies, that when beaten by the adversary they have cast away first their baggage and then their arms. Disburdening themselves finally of their provisions, they have trusted only to their legs for safety—which have at last failed them.

The British Empire has many foes. She has foes in Russia in China, in India, in Japan. The Russians are threatening us on one side and the Americans are threatening us on the other.

to convey to the eye of a stranger an idea of the city, its general appearance, and the nature of the locality. The building is at the top of the Australian Library. The eastern view embraces Government House, the Botanical Gardens and Domain, Sydney's Bay to Point Kirribilli, and in the foreground the Sydney public square, a viewpoint, but representing the western view, the whole city from the Circular Quay to the end of our public buildings, the University, St. Andrew's, and the Observatory are the most prominent features of the landscape. Many of course, from their situation and cannot so strongly defined as those which, having a clear site, stand out sharply on the horizon, and to the skyline. The state of the atmosphere, the season, the weather, the position of the sun, as the Blue Mountains are distinctly the extreme distance. There are many

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mediating the capture of Gibraltar. The islands of the West Indies will fall to one party and the East to another. The people of Vancouver's Island are, according to our last accounts, petitioning for release. Ireland is reported to be forming a gigantic conspiracy for a similar purpose. Australia is said to be ripe for revolt, and New Zealand is too costly. What is the advice given then by our politicians? Simply to get rid of all these difficulties, as the Russian mother escaped from the wolves, or as the retreating army finally seeks safety. New Zealand is to be abandoned to the Maories. The continent

by way of obtaining a good extensive view of the pictures of proficient artists are two things which are not to be confused. The subordination of details for the sake of the whole, is, no doubt, more within the province of the painter than in that of the photographer, but, as in this instance, by the judicious use of the diaphragm, the greatest feature in his picture is made the greatest measure to subdue the obtrusiveness of the minutiae. These two panoramas, though representing a portion of the city, may be supplemented by two other views that perhaps are necessary to give a complete representation of the city. The first is a representation of the city should Mr. Boake undertake this privilege, in the character of the panoramas guarantee of his success.

INQUIRY.—An inquiry respecting the death of Master Patrick Hutchins, was held yesterday at City Coroner, at Darlinghurst goal. Senior

their united acceptance of Mr. Stephen's resignation.

Narr moved, and Mr. Morehead seconded, to omit all reference to the "resignation," with a view to the following resolutions—

That Mr. Pratt, though justified by the defects and errors of the school, in bringing it under the notice of the Convention, has nevertheless shown good will towards them in passing censure upon their conduct; and that he take into consideration the want of co-operation between him and us, and not feel less disposed to concede its benefit to Mr. Stephen's and Mr. Pratt's gentlemen than they ever cordially co-operate in the cause of truth, and render as efficient, they submit a statement of Mr. Stephen's resignation.

Resolved, That the words proposed to be omitted are of question.

Ayes, 10.
Nays, 6.

Mr. Deas Thayer
Mr. Knott
Mr. Morehead
Mr. Underly

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Mr. Knott
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The Crisis gave his casting vote with the Aye.

After motion having been put, was carried on the affirmative.

of Australia is to be surrendered to Dr. LANS; and, the flag of England retreating from every sea, the QUEEN is to abandon all authority and influence in the world. England is then to devote herself to ritualism, cotton and blacking making, and wait for such customers as may find it convenient to cross the waters.

All this is the reaction of the former warlike spirit and of our successful career in colonisation and commerce. There are, no doubt, obligations connected with the possession of great maritime power which will be increasingly onerous. If England maintains her position in the world.

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inference we drew was that by the casting vote of J. P. Fell the resolution was carried, and that the incident, occurring in accepting the resignation of Mr. J. P. Fell, was the first case of what we call the second order. We should be glad to know, if the matter of course much must depend on this point is the weight of the decision.

W. FATHERS.—The weather during the past fortnight has been excessively hot and dry, with scarcely a passing breeze, until Thursday night last, when the wind shifted to the westward, and the temperature fell several hours, carrying with it, as usual, a copious shower of dust; the wind continued to blow from the west after the close of yesterday, but, notwithstanding this, I consider very hot.

W. FATHERS, Secretary, December 26th, a. m.

Mr. H. Higgins, in the employment of Mr. Nield, the railway sub-contractor near Marlston, was driving

it will be not by insolent aggression, but by endeavouring as far as possible to harmonize our interests with that of all nations. But if in an evil hour she should come to the conclusion that she may follow this cowardly counsel, and having such an empire, one so envied by all the world, she shall cast away one fragment and then another until everything threatened is abandoned, she will come finally to her own island home, and those narrow limits of her power will become its grave. No country can stand still. "Onward," or "retreat," is the law of destiny. When Rome began to recall her legions from the east, she was followed by the Goths, her commonsense was followed by the Greeks, her com-

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lode laden with earth, when the heavy compass and hand-drawn Higgins down, and before we could get the machine started, the engine was jammed by a compressed fracture of the line. As we hastily removed to the Goulburn hospital and placed the care of Dr. Harford, when, after a consultation with Dr. Wrench, inspection of the leg was performed by the latter, who pronounced it a compound fracture of the tibia.

THE FIRST SHOT OF THE ALBERT M'NAMARA (gun had not risen when I was operating) was the guide, who having been promised a donation of beads on arrival at the lake, had caught the enthusiasm of the moment. The day broke with fully clear, and having crossed a deep valley on the hills, we topped up the opposite slope. I was now in the rear of the party of about 100 men, and only upon me. There, like a wave of quicksilver beneath the grand expanse of water—a boundless horizon on the south and south-west, glitter-

The colonies for some time have been supposed to be impatient of what is called "the yoke of England" and to wish for independence. It may come before they desire it or are prepared to accept its burdens and its duties. No one can tell what will be the course of foreign politics in Great Britain during the next ten years, because no one can calculate in

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the noonday sun; and on the west
or sixty miles' distance, blue mountains
the bosom of the lake to a height of about 700
above its level. It is impossible to describe
the scene of the moment: here was a
country for the yearling with which we
coloured through Africa. England had won the
of the Nile. Long before I reached this
had arranged to give three cheers with all our
English style in honour of the discovery; but
that I looked down upon the great inland sea
nestled in the very heart of Africa, and though
simply mankind had sought the source of the
Nile, and, realizing that it had been in the
instrument permitted to unravel this portion
of the great mystery when so many greater
I had failed, I felt too serious to
my feelings in vain cheers for victory.

what hands the supreme power will be placed which shall decide its fate. Those principles of philanthropy which ought to be carried out in all private transactions and relations; that equity the right which ought to be maintained before the law; that justice in the exercise of power which is a solemn duty and responsibility, are all consistent with the maintenance of power itself—which means the maintenance of empire. If in an evil day, therefore, England should listen to those insinuations of indolence, and, because there are troubles connected with Government, renounce its functions, its empire will drop off by the decay of the ligatures which bind it together, or by some sudden con-

The performance is one of the marvellous have been brought out in Sydney for a compact. The great Fern Glade scene is a lovely study in tragedy, and will give us the last mid-day performance of the pastoral place this afternoon, while to be a grand distribution of Twelfth Cakes.—
The Troupe of Glassblowers have magnificence, and the School of Arts has been given by the Troupe of Glassblowers for the elegant and valuable prize distributed "in favour of affection" among the audience.
Mr. C. A. Woodroffe took a complimentary night will be the last appearance of the Troupe of Glassblowers at the Lyceum Theatre on the 15th. There will be an afternoon dance, and all the children present are promised a gift.—The International Circus has been at the Lyceum Theatre in York-street. The

sincerely thanked God for having guided and supported as though all dangers to the general good were before him. He said that he was not above 1500 feet above the level of the sea, and that he had seen the Nile upon those waters upon that vast reservoir which nourishes and brought fertility where all was wilderness. He said that that source so long hidden from man, that source of bounty and of blessings to all of human beings; and as one of the greatest gifts in nature, I determined to honour it with my name. As an imperishable memorial to the great deed mourned by me, I called it the Victoria Nile, and the Englishman I called this great lake the Victoria Nyanza. The Victoria and the Albert are the two sources of the Nile. The signpost to descend to the lake was so near and so dangerous that we were forced to take our oxen with a guide, who was to take

There can be no question, however, that if the British power is to be maintained it must occasion a much greater expenditure of money than we have yet been prepared to contemplate. The prejudices of former times discourage the necessary means of preservation

the acrobatic achievements of the Stars in their merry pranks and witticisms of the distinguished not a little to the hilarity of the exchange of programme and a new laugh—this is announced for this evening—Mr. W. Wax-work Exhibition, in Pitt-street, the Victoria Theatre, has been a great success during the Christmas holidays, and has been visited by visitors from the country. The collectors' numbers nearly one hundred figures are remarkable for fidelity of features, and are possessed of varied interest of lighters. The figures have all been consummate skill by an Australian artist well worth the inspection of the curious.

to Magungo and wait for our arrival. The descent of the steep pass on foot. I was weary, grasping a stout bombos. My wife, in weakness, tottered down the pass, supporting me upon my shoulder, and stopping to rest several times. After a tedious descent of about two and a half miles, we reached a grassy plain, a week's walk from the coast. The day was hot and unclouded, and the sun beat down upon the parched grass. We were weary, and the heat was oppressive. We were, however, cheered by the prospect of the sea. We walked about a mile through the low, scrubby vegetation, and then descended a steep, rocky hill, the descent of which was very fatiguing. We reached the beach at last, and were greeted by the cool breeze from the sea. We were very tired, but we were happy to be so near our destination. We had a good dinner, and then went to bed. The next day we went to the beach, and saw many of the natives. They were very friendly, and we had a good time. We then went to the market, and bought some of the native goods. We were very interested in the things we saw, and we had a good time. We then went to the beach, and saw many of the natives. They were very friendly, and we had a good time. We then went to the market, and bought some of the native goods. We were very interested in the things we saw, and we had a good time.

PRESBYTERY OF SYDNEY.

of the constitutional Government which have been so fully defined by successive Secretaries of State for the Colonies, and which was adopted in the formal and in substance by both Houses of the Imperial Parliament, and addressed through to His Excellency in the session of 1885.

And have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant,

ALFRED LEMPIER, Private Secretary
George R. B. Esq., M.L.A.

—About 3 o'clock on Saturday morning last, a fire occurred at Messrs. Bell and Love's shop, at South Quay, which caused a good deal of damage, and, inasmuch as the premises were situated in a narrow street, has resulted in the total destruction of the building and its contents. At the hour mentioned, Mr. Love, who on the premises, was aware by the smell of fire, that a fire was going on, and immediately sent for the fire engine. On down stairs he found that the front part of the shop was burning. He immediately shut the doors and procured assistance he could. Buckets of water were poured around to the front of the shop, the door was burst in, and great exertions the fire was got under. The whole articles in the window and the adjoining shelves, and the premises were completely destroyed. At the time the fire was discovered the were issuing through the shop window, so that the flames were not so much as to be noticed from the street. The fire was successfully made to subside thus that it was about five years. The loss of the premises and stock was £200 to £300. The premises and stock were fully insured.—*Continued.*

—The *Continental Times*, of last instant, says, "It was widely reported yesterday, and we believe with good foundation, that the state of Mr. Macaulister's health, owing to over-exertion in the discharge of his important duties, had induced his medical advisers to insist on the hon. gentleman's enjoying some peculiar relaxation, and that, in consequence of this measure was about to spend a couple of months in New Zealand, as he had no other business to attend to. It will be attended with the best results. There can be said that Mr. Macaulister takes the lion's or perhaps we may say the rooster's part of the work of the Government, and no one can be surprised at his requiring some repose."

—Some correspondents of the *Daily Herald* of Thursday ultimo, say, "a very odd tale respecting the late Rev. Canon Charles O'Connell, who has been the current of the town. The unfortunate man, far gone in age, and suffering from rheumatism, was taken off the ground while he was riding, and left below a week since. Here he remained for some days, and was seen by a shopman at Kaituma, who brought him food on two occasions. He had no other visitors, and when he was at his visit, took him a billy full, but found the poor creature dead. Such a shocking life! Several towns had him in his power, and he was left to die with the invalid! He was formerly in the employ of Mr. Smith, near Brook."

NEW ZEALAND.

HOKITIKA.

—The following papers on exhibition to the 22nd inst. in receipt of the Hon. the Secretary for the Colonies.

DORRISON MURDER CASE.—The two prisoners and Dr. Lacey were fully committed for trial on Monday. They were at once remanded to the district gaol, which process was attended with some delay, as he threw himself on the ground in the gateway from the camp into Kewell-street, and obstinately refused to get up. The police proceeded on the ground, and he was taken to the gaol, where he was locked up in the due course. The above little incident caused an immense crowd, and nearly as much excitement as was witnessed on the day that witnessed the trial of Sullivan.

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will be erected, at the cost of the vendors, a four-roomed cottage, or may plan to be seen at the office.

With this station will be sold 6300 sheep, of the following

12 ewes
 17 weaners, equal sexes
 12 wethers
 9 rams.
 Total, 6000.
 to close in with this surplus, horses, dogs, and harness

to be given in within ten Run a silver grey and black
three draught, two white and four saddle horses.
Lot 12.
RANKIN'S HILL 5, and MIPARO.
Area, 128,000 acres.
Rankin's-hill, 64,000 acres, is securely fenced with
sheep-proof fence, and has two wells on it.
This run will be sold 20,000 sheep, of the following
options, viz. :—
1 ewes
55 weaners, (equal sexes
8 wethers

ROSSGIEL, ABBOTSFORD, and PAKAPURA
No. 5.
This run has an area of about 166 000 acres. This run has a double frontage of about thirty miles to the Williamsdra.
Improvements consist on Pakapura, of a brick house, store, kitchen, well, &c., tanks, paddock of about 400 acres, woolshed, capable of accommodating sixty

improvements are a cottage of four rooms, kitchen, men's blacksmith's shop, horse paddocks, yard, &c. On the Willandra, there are men's huts, paddock, stockyards, &c. There are dams at intervals all along the Willandra, these three runs will be sold without stock in one lot. The advantages offered to purchasers of the above runs are easily estimated. Their carrying capabilities may be enormously increased, and it is not too much to say that the quantity is equal to three times the stock now on it. A large quantity of good water can be obtained all over the

by sinking to a depth of 100 feet, while the walls now
are amply sufficient for a large increase of sheep.
The tenure is long and secure.

The sheep are really a superior lot, the owners having
exercised great attention, and spent large sums of money in
improving the flock. They are to be purchased, whilst every care
is exercised in their breed and selection. They are
of a first-class order and condition, the country being
highly sound, and perfectly free from either scab, fluke,
rot or other diseases. The properties are within fifty
miles of Melbourne, and a coach goes direct to the
sheep each week, therefore every facility is offered to
purchasers, whose inspection is invited.

For further particulars and terms, apply at the Offices of
Messrs. R. GOLDSBROUGH and CO., Bourke and Wil-
liams Streets, Melbourne, where plans of the stations may be
seen.

WEDNESDAY, 16th January.

**VALUABLE PROPERTIES IN AND AROUND
MARBURN.**

MESSRS. HENSLAY and CO. have received instructions
from John Fulljames, Esq., to sell by auction,
at the Rooms, Goulburn, on **WEDNESDAY, January**

At 12 o'clock,
the following valuable properties:—
T.1.—THE MAKULAN STORE is a weatherboard building with brick ends, and contains a large room for warehouse, fitted with shelving and counter, also sitting-room and two bedrooms; detached kitchen, servants' room, and bakehouse, built of brick; large hay and corn store, chaff house, butcher's shop, and first-rate orchard in full bearing; garden and paddock, together with
11 ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
commanding the best position in the township.
The above have been lengthened terms carried on a very liberal and extensive business, combining in its various branches a large and open store, butcher's shop, and

has all the trade of the numerous teams now traveling on the

her with the custom of a large and surrounding settle-
To a man of energy a certain fortune is at command,
endent of the prospective value attached to the property

2.—**WATTLE FLAT** contains 137 acres of the richest agricultural soil, two side lines of which are fenced in by the railway passing through it. It is situated immediately behind the store, and valuable for depasturing the killing flock for the butchering establishment attached to the store.

T 4.—Farm known as BACK PADDOCK, in proximity to Limestone Vale, and contains 118 acres of

T 5.—CONVINCING GROUND contains 150 acres of the richest agricultural state, with permanent water.

T 6.—OLD FARM contains 115 acres, and adjacent lot 4.

land is exceedingly good for agriculture and pasturage, and well watered. Two side lines of first-class landings have been completed.

T 7.—LIMESTONE QUARRY, containing 100 acres, selected under the Mining Regulation Land Act, Bill, is a very valuable property, and nothing can surpass the richness and quality of the limestones on this estate. As an investment it must command an enormous return on the arrival of the railway at the station.

From lots 2 to 7, will be submitted an abstract of title.

the above properties require little comment at the hands of the audience, it being generally known that the farms are well described, and that the owners are persons of good repute, inasmuch as they possess not only the right of disposal of the cultural land in the district, but have been so secured as to be in and command that

GREAT AND EXPANSIVE MEADOW

the adjacent grasses situated between the several farms and

the Great Southern Railway, which is expected to be to Marulan early next year, will bring these properties into immediate contact with Sydney and Goulburn. Pending purchasers can have the lots pointed out to them by the proprietor, who will be residing at Limestone to the 10th instant.

Terms at sale.

BERMADAN AND MINDADO STATIONS,

1000 Head of Choice Cattle,
Waste in Wellington and Waerenga Districts, and ad-
joining each other, with ten miles Frontage, well
known as the property of the late
MR. OWEN MURNANE.

For Positive Sale,
By order of the Administrators.

Day of Sale, MONDAY, 7th January, 1867,
At the Royal Hotel, Bathurst, at 2 o'clock.

AND W. OAKES are instructed by the
● Administrators in the Estate of the late MR.
MURNANE to sell by public auction, on the
day,

HERMADEN and MINDADO,
situated in Warrego and Wellington districts, ad-
joining each other, with all the cattle now running
in and belonging thereto, estimated at over 1000
head.
These stations are in the immediate vicinity of the picked
pastures of the districts, and for fattening qualities are very
superior; and, being only partially cooked, present a
valuable opportunity for parties on the look out for a
good investment.
The property will be sold in one lot as they now stand,
horses, &c., necessary to carry them on.
Tending purchasers are invited to inspect the stations

Instructions to the Auctioneers are for
POSITIVE SALE,
On **MONDAY, 7th January, 1867,**
At **BATHURST.**

To Coal and Wood Merchants, and others.

R. H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on **TUESDAY, 8th inst.**, at 11 o'clock, on the premises of Messrs. Kellie & Co., **Henrietta, Washington-street, off Sussex-street, corner Bathurst-street.**

tone coal, wood, screens, bags, scales and weights,
chaffcutters, axes, saws, measure, signboards and
posts, baskets, etc.
Dried, decayed, and barren.
Positive sale without reserve.
To Tobaccoconists and others.
R. H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to
sell by auction, on **MONDAY, 7th**
inst., at 10 o'clock, on the premises of Mr. Dunn, Market
street, **1,000 Pitt-street**.

deep fixtures, gas fittings, American tobacco, cigars,
shells, matches, and sundries.

